



February 13, 2009

SENATE BILL No. 54

DIGEST OF SB 54 (Updated February 10, 2009 3:49 pm - DI 106)

Citations Affected: IC 21-17; IC 21-39.

Synopsis: Jurisdiction of university and college police. Provides that university and college police may exercise their police powers in any part of Indiana if they are engaged in the discharge of official duties and the educational institution employing the officer has not restricted or limited the exercise of the officer's official powers.

Effective: July 1, 2009.

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January 7, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Corrections, Criminal, and Civil Matters.
February 12, 2009, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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First Regular Session 116th General Assembly (2009)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 21-17-5-5, AS ADDED BY P.L.2-2007, SECTION
2 258, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2009]: Sec. 5. (a) ~~Except as provided in subsection (b)~~; A police
4 officer appointed under this chapter may exercise the powers granted
5 under this chapter: ~~only~~

6 (1) upon any real property owned or occupied by the educational
7 institution employing the police officer, including the streets
8 passing through and adjacent to the educational institution; **and**

9 (b) ~~Additional jurisdiction may be established by agreement with~~
10 ~~the chief of police of the municipality or sheriff of the county or the~~
11 ~~appropriate law enforcement agency where the educational institution's~~
12 ~~property is located, depending upon the jurisdiction involved.~~

13 (2) **at any other location in Indiana:**

14 (A) **unless the educational institution employing the police**
15 **officer restricts or limits the exercise of the powers; and**

16 (B) **if the police officer is engaged in the discharge of the**
17 **police officer's official duties.**

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SECTION 2. IC 21-39-4-6, AS ADDED BY P.L.2-2007, SECTION 280, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 6. A police officer may exercise the powers granted under this chapter: ~~only~~

(1) upon real property owned or occupied by the state educational institution employing the police officer, including the streets passing through and adjacent to the state educational institution; ~~and Additional jurisdiction may be established by agreement with the chief of police of the municipality or sheriff of the county or the appropriate law enforcement agency where the property is located; depending upon the jurisdiction involved:~~

(2) at any other location in Indiana:

(A) unless the educational institution employing the police officer restricts or limits the exercise of the powers; and

(B) if the police officer is engaged in the discharge of the police officer's official duties.

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Corrections, Criminal, and Civil Matters, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 54, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, line 5, after "chapter" insert ":",

Page 1, line 5, after "only" begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(1)".

Page 1, line 5, reset in roman "upon any real property owned or occupied by".

Page 1, reset in roman line 6.

Page 1, line 7, reset in roman "streets passing through and adjacent to the educational".

Page 1, line 7, delete "institution." and insert "institution; **and**".

Page 1, line 11, delete "in any".

Page 1, delete line 12, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(2) at any other location in Indiana:

(A) unless the educational institution employing the police officer restricts or limits the exercise of the powers; and

(B) if the police officer is engaged in the discharge of the police officer's official duties."

Page 1, line 16, after "chapter" insert ":",

Page 1, line 16, after "only" begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(1)".

Page 1, line 16, reset in roman "upon real property owned or occupied by the".

Page 1, reset in roman line 17.

Page 2, line 1, reset in roman "streets passing through and adjacent to the state educational".

Page 2, line 1, delete "institution." and insert "institution; **and**".

Page 2, line 5, delete "in any part of Indiana."

Page 2, after line 5, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(2) at any other location in Indiana:

(A) unless the educational institution employing the police officer restricts or limits the exercise of the powers; and

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(B) if the police officer is engaged in the discharge of the police officer's official duties."

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 54 as introduced.)

STEELE, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 10, Nays 1.

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